

# Diapers for Children and Adults Through Community Partners

## Some of our partners

Armory Park Senior Center  
Arizona Baptist Children's Svcs  
Arizona Youth Partnership  
Casa de los Ninos  
Catalina Community Services  
Catholic Social Services  
Child & Family Resources  
Community Action Human  
Resources Agency  
Emerge!  
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Impact of So AZ  
Picture Rocks Community Ctr.  
The Primavera Foundation  
St. Elizabeth's Health Clinic  
Tucson Indian Center  
Tucson Urban League

## Drop Off Sites:

### Diaper Bank:

4500 E. Speedway #75

### Journal Broadcast Group

7280 E. Rosewood St

### Most Tucson UPS Stores:

Please call first

### Tucson City Council Offices

Ward 2: 7575 E Speedway

Ward 3: 1501 E. Grant

Ward 4: 8123 Poinciana Dr.

Ward 5: 4300 S. Park Ave

Ward 6: 3202 E. 1<sup>st</sup> Ave.

### Jim Click Automotive Team/Holmes Tuttle Ford Dealerships

### Catalina Investments

(River and Campbell)

1660 E. River Road, Suite 180

### Agape Hospice

(Swan and Ft. Lowell)

2980 N Swan Rd Suite 222

### Arizona Grill & Hearth

2600 N. Stone Ave. 85705

### Two Men and a Truck

3773 W. Ina Road #174

# Diaper Bank of Southern Arizona

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# The Nation's *First* Diaper Bank



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Volunteers and partners keep us going.

## Our History

- The Diaper Bank movement began in 1994 when a small consulting firm decided to give back to their local community during the holiday season. Resolve Inc., located in Tucson, Arizona, began their philanthropic endeavor by collecting diapers for a local crisis nursery
- In 2003, the Community Diaper Bank of Southern Arizona became a free standing charitable organization, becoming the nation's first Diaper Bank. Today there are more than 250 diaper banks located across the country.
- The mission of the Diaper Bank is to provide diapers to those living under the poverty line where no public assistance exists. The Diaper Bank distributes nearly 1 million diapers and incontinence supply items to more than 18,000 babies, toddlers, disabled youth and adults, and senior citizens in 10 Southern Arizona counties. Over the past 20 years, the Diaper Bank has distributed more than 8.5 million diapers and incontinence supplies throughout Southern Arizona.
- In the coming years, the Diaper Bank of Southern Arizona plans to meet 100 % of the local need for diapers, but we need your help reach that goal.

## What is Diaper Need?

- Each year, the Diaper Bank receives requests for more than 2 million diapers, but is only able to collect and distribute 43% of those requests due to its limited financial resources.
- Regardless of age or size, 6-10 diapers are needed daily (around \$100 per month).
- Public assistance is limited. Food assistance programs such as food stamps and WIC focus solely on food and nutrition, and do not cover diapers.
- 1 in 3 parents in America struggle to meet diaper needs. They often cut back on food, utilities, and other necessities to provide diapers for their babies.
- 1 in 3 babies is born into poverty in Pima County.
- 25 percent of diapers collected and distributed by the Diaper Bank are for adult incontinence needs.

*"I am so thankful for being able to get diapers. It has helped a lot because sometimes I would have to choose between getting diapers or much less food at the grocery store. - Adelina*



Volunteers make our day.

## How You Can Help

- Make a financial contribution online, in person, or in the mail.
- Donate diapers in person. At the Diaper Bank office only, we accept loose diapers if they are in their original package
- Make a planned gift to ensure the Diaper Bank can meet the need long into the future.
- Host a diaper drive
- Volunteer
- Attend a Diaper Bank event
- Become a fan or follower online

Check out our website for details and more ways you can help at [www.diaperbank.org](http://www.diaperbank.org).



Diaper drives make a difference.

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